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TO DESTROY THE GERMAN SHIPS SUNK IN SCAPA FLOW

LONDON, Jan. 6.—German warships sent by their officers to Scapa Flow will be blown up shortly, it was stated here today. The decision to dispose of the vessels in this way followed the completion of investigation by a special commission representing all of the allies. Experts employed by the salvage department of the British admiralty spent several weeks taking soundings in Scapa Flow, and the information they furnished the commission was used as a basis to determine whether the ships should be raised or destroyed.

The decision, announced in the foregoing dispatch, to blow up the German ships sunk in Scapa Flow, apparently dispenses of a question which has caused a great deal of discussion and speculation in all of the allied countries. The almost insuperable task of raising the vessels and the possibility that the salvaged materials would not be of great value were believed to have weighed heavily in favor of destroying the vessels by explosives.

Scuttling of the units of the German fleet interned at Scapa Flow occurred June 21, 1919, and was carefully arranged by officers and crews. Nine battleships, five battle cruisers, eight light cruisers, and numerous smaller craft were sunk, while others went around in a half sunken condition. All explosives had been removed from the vessels by allied officers and the only means of destroying the fleet was by opening the seacocks. The ships went down slowly with the German flag which the crews had hoisted, showing at the mast heads. The firing of a red flag at noon was a signal for the wholesale sinking.

NEW FLEET OF SHIPS TO HAVANA

QUINCY, MASS., Jan. 6.—The installation of a bit, with the regulation brass and mahogany fittings, on the stern deck of the former steamer South Haven, now being refitted here, disclosed today plans of New York and Milwaukee financial interests for a new fleet of fast steamers between northern points and Havana. Work on the steamer which has been christened the City of Miami, is being pushed night and day in order that the vessel may be plying over its new route before the end of the month.

Before its purchase by the navy department for war service, the South Haven was one of the crack steamers on the Great Lakes, where she was known as "the White Flyer."

THINKS PRESIDENT WILL ISSUE CALL

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 6.—President Wilson "will do no doubt" issue the call for the first meeting of the League of Nations under the peace treaty when the treaty is actually in effect, though the exchange of ratifications of three of the allied powers and Germany under Secretary of State Taft said today.

"I think there is hardly a doubt that the president will issue the call," Mr. Taft said. "In view of the fact that he specifically charged with this duty by the treaty and it has nothing to do with ratification by the United States."

Mr. Taft added that he had no advice from Premier Clemenceau and the other entente premiers, while he was in Paris as head of the American peace mission when they asked whether the president would issue the call.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

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BRITISH WOMEN MAGISTRATES



Above, Marchioness of Crewe, left, and Lady Londonderry. Below, Mrs. Lloyd George, left, and Mrs. Humphrey Ward.

The sex disqualification act recently passed in England permits women to occupy offices which were formerly held only by men. Accordingly the Lord Chancellor has announced the appointment of seven prominent British women to act as magistrates. They are Mrs. Humphrey Ward, Lady Londonderry, Mrs. Lloyd George, wife of the British premier, the Marchioness of Crewe, Mrs. Sidney Webb, Miss Elizabeth Haldane and Miss Gertrude Tuckwell.

APPROVAL OF ACCEPTANCE EXPECTED FROM MINERS

ITALIANS AND ENGLISH CONFER

LONDON, Jan. 6.—Premier Nic-
holas and Foreign Minister Saitola, of

Italy, today attended a conference in Downing street with Premier Lloyd George, Earl Curzon, secretary of state for foreign affairs; Andrew Bonar Law, government leader in the house of commons, and Marquis Imperial, Italian ambassador. It was expected the conference would last all day. Adriatic matters were discussed.

Acting President John L. Lewis has decided, however, to all those who have any grievance "to get it out of their systems," as he expressed it, and much of the day may be consumed in hearing speeches on the subject.

There is no other business to come before the convention, except perhaps some instructions may be given to the miners relative to the procedure in presenting the miners' case to the president's commission. When this is disposed of the convention will adjourn. This may come late Tuesday or Wednesday.

Officials were doubtful if they would be able to complete clearing up on transportation and expenses of delegates by tonight and for this reason the convention may last into Wednesday.

Under the rules of the convention no other question may be brought up. The action on the motion to endorse the policy pursued by the officers in settlement of the strike will be decided.

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WET GAINS INCREASE

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 6.—Net wet gains jumped from 16 this morning to 132 at noon in the account of tailors cast on the federal prohibition amendment. The big jump occurred when an eighth ward precinct of Columbus was opened. The vote as officially announced by election officials was 110 for ratification and 42 against ratification. The recent count had a current count of 61 votes for ratification and 102 votes against ratification. A total of 42 precincts out of 50 contested in Columbus, have been recorded by the master commissioners.

A similar mistake is claimed to have occurred in precinct G, Fifth ward, Lima. There, however, the drys expected to be the gainers in the recent Lima election officials have notified the court, however, they are unable to find the ballots and Judge Cleverton has asked them for an explanation.

By the gains already made by the wet, the wet majority against ratification has been increased from 47 to 61.

MUCH WASTE OF NATURAL GAS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Means of curbing the present enormous waste of natural gas by consumers as well as in the fields and in transmission will be considered at a conference of state governors, public utility commissioners, geologists, operators and natural gas companies called by Secretary Lane to convene here January 15.

The governor said at some future time he would submit recommendations in regard to the state's finances.

He invited to the conference, said he said he hoped no effort would be made to pass through any partisan measure. He said he would not send any such measure to the assembly and that none that kind would come with his ap-

RADICAL LEADERS TAKE TO COVER AS SECRET SERVICE COMBS NATION; GUARD BORDERS TO BLOCK ESCAPE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Federal agents are continuing to comb the country for radicals, who are known to champion a movement to overthrow the government.

With means of escape shut off by a close watch of the Mexican and Canadian border, where some of the radicals were reported to be headed, in an effort to evade the dragnet spread over the country to entrap members of the communist and communist labor parties, the arrest of some of the prominent radical leaders was expected momentarily.

The department of justice has called upon congress for support in the campaign to rid the nation of socialism by providing appropriations to meet the legal battle which is considered inevitable when the government starts into the final stages of deportation proceedings. It was declared that the radicals are supported by a big "slush fund" and array of legal talents which must be overcome if the government's campaign is to bear fruit.

The war department has agreed to cooperate in furnishing Camp Upton as a detention camp to relieve the congestion at Ellis Island and another camp probably will be established in the middle west to quarter the radicals until arrangements are made to send a small fleet of "soviet ships" across the seas.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Department of justice operatives faced increased difficulties today in their warfare on radicals, because the "comrades," frightened at the raids made Friday and last night, have "taken to cover" in anticipation of further activities.

William J. Flynn, chief of the de-

TO SIGN PROTOCOL SATURDAY

PARIS, Jan. 6.—There is every indication now in supreme council circles that the peace protocol will be signed by Germany and ratification of the treaty of Versailles exchanged on the coming Saturday, January 10, the date tentatively set by the council yesterday.

The council of the League of Nations, it is understood, will be called to meet

MEMBERS OF COAL COMMISSION

RAHAT, MOROCCO, Monday, Jan. 6.—(French wireless service)—A French aviator has arrived here from Paris by air, making the flight in two days. This is the first case of a woman flying from France to Morocco. The distance covered was about 1,150 miles.

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Spontaneous reactions about what he may say on a third term and on the peace treaty as a campaign issue.

Gosses about Mr. Bryan's address touch on these same subjects. Many of the party leaders expecting him to declare his stand on the treaty and to put himself definitely into the running for the nomination. If the past few weeks his friends have been very active in his behalf and they expect him to give the opportunity for him to again assume a prominent place in the party councils.

Mr. Bryan has been quoted as saying at a recent meeting here with several democratic senators, that the treaty will be ratified promptly with only moderate reservations and in some quarters it is believed he may reiterate that stand Thursday night. There are committee men who believe that the president, on the other hand, may ask in his message that the party go before the country on a platform for general ratification. The possibility of the situation that might thus be developed were widely and earnestly discussed today by those who had arrived for the big party gathering.

Of the six cities cyclized for the convention, Kansas City was the first to begin active work among the committee men, a group of leaders opening headquarters today at a hotel. Chicago and San Francisco are expected to get actively into the race tomorrow and Cleveland, Cincinnati and Indianapolis also will be represented when the selection is made Thursday.

The three last named, however, are not expected to make extensive preparations.

The Lettish and Polish armies which are engaged in the campaign on this front, continued yesterday their advance along the Pskov railway after capture of Dvinsk, according to official telegrams to the Lettish legation here. It is expected to open rail communications at once between Riga and Dvinsk and it was stated at the legation that the first train from Riga to Dvinsk would probably leave Riga this evening, thus establishing direct communications with Poland.

The population of Dvinsk, the advanced, is estimated to be 100,000.

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TO TAKE UP HOUSING SHORTAGE HERE

Wesley Hall Mission

A splendid meeting is now in full swing at Wesley Hall. Meetings each evening this week at 7:15 p. m. It is hoped that the meetings may be attended all week. All mission workers are urged to be present. The fields at Wesley Hall are truly white, but the laborers are few. Yet far too few. This evening, be sure to come.

J. E. DILBERT
Supintendent

Don't Let Water Run

Water consumers are urged to discontinue the practice of leaving water running throughout the night in a tank. Issued this morning by Service Director Gergens. The practice has resulted in a serious depletion of the city's water supply, while in many instances, the excess water has flowed over the streets and sidewalks, endangering the safety of pedestrians and street traffic. Service Director Gergens suggests that other means should be employed to keep water pipes from freezing.

MINE EXPLOSION

MARTINS FERRY, O., Jan. 6.—An explosion occurred in the Laughlin mine of the American Sheet & Tin Plate Company near here this afternoon. Eighteen men are said to have been trapped in the workings, but had later escaped.

Three of the men were badly burned by the explosion, but it was said at the hospital to which they were taken that all would likely recover. Fire broke out in the workings immediately after the explosion and was burning at 3 o'clock, although officials of the company said it was under control.

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AMERICANS MURDERED

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 6.—Earle Bowles and S. J. Rosey, Americans employed by the International Petroleum Company, have been murdered by Mexicans within one mile of Palo Alto, near Port Lopez, according to private advices received here today from Tampico.

WILL CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

The thirty-eighth anniversary of the Knights of St. George will be celebrated Wednesday evening with a card party and dinner at Eagles Hall, Second and Court streets. Dancing will hold forth from 8:30 till midnight with cards from 8:30 to 10:30. Music will be provided by the Musical Five. The committee in charge is composed of Clarence Stebbins, Carroll Agnew, A. J. McElroy and Chas. McEachen.

BODIES ARE RECOVERED

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 6.—The bodies of John Hoover and John Cornett, who lost their lives yesterday in an explosion and fire which destroyed the Northern Refractories Co. building, were recovered last night. They were entering the building to work and it is supposed the blast was caused by the lighting of a match.

Mr. Wilson
Will Talk

Respecters invited at the Chamber of Commerce to luncheon today gave a large audience at the luncheon to be given tomorrow at the United Methodist church with Samuel Wilson of Chicago, manager of the American City Bureau, as guest of honor. Mr. Wilson will give an address on "Our Job in 1928" following the luncheon.

WITH THE SICK

Miss Billy Franklin, who recently underwent the second surgical operation, which was performed in Hospital Hospital, has recovered sufficiently to be moved to her home, 613 South Street.

Mr. Kendall Hunter is ill with grippe for the last few days.

Mr. J. L. Peeler of Cedar ave. is slightly ill.

In Cleveland

Mr. L. M. Stenger of Franklin, arrived this afternoon on a business trip to Cleveland on the business of the Ohio Iron Company.

INDIANS SPREAD LAND

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Six Degrees Warmer

It was 6 degrees warmer this morning than yesterday, the mercury stopping at the 11 above mark this morning, while yesterday morning 5 above was registered by the government thermometer at Dr. H. A. Schramm's office.

Building Is Remodeled

The Weitz building, Third and Jayne streets, occupied by the Lewis Furniture Co., is undergoing extensive repairs, being in the hands of carpenters and electricians. The front of the building will be repainted, while the interior will be decorated and wired for electricity throughout. Sound proof phonograph booths will be erected on the first floor and other alterations made as will meet the demand of patrons. Pete Warsaw, manager of the Lewis Furniture Co., stated Monday, that when all the contemplated improvements are made his company would have one of the most complete retail stores in this part of the state.

Knits Socks For Red Cross Despite Advanced Age

John Henneke of Grandview Avenue, has just arrived home after quite an extended visit in Seattle, with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meier. Although eighty-seven years of age, Mr. Henneke worked every day in the open and says he never felt better in his life. Besides his outdoor work during the day, his evenings were fully occupied helping the Red Cross chapter of that place, having knitted eight pairs of socks for the soldiers at that time.

SAFE IS ROBBED

MONTON, Jan. 6—Sometime last evening by Henry Daniels, teamster, a crackman entered the office for the company, and he at once notified the Goldcamp Mill Co., worked the safe, and fled the authorities. The sheriff and constable of the safe and constable of the bloodhounds were also called, but no clue was obtained.

Taken Under Advisement

After hearing the evidence in the suit of Carrie E. Brewer against P. Kasey Hall and Elsie Hall to con-

Could Not Eat or Sleep

Vinol, our Cod Liver and Iron Tonic, gave him appetite and felt like different man.



Ruston, La.—"I am a working man and go all run down so I could not eat, sleep or work. Vinol was recommended by my condition. It built me up so I eat well, can work all day long and feel tired. In fact, I feel like a different man since I took it." — Jack H. Winton.

"Men fret and worry." That's why they overwork, get nervous, all run down, have no appetite, and can hardly drag around." Vinol creates a hearty appetite, induces sound sleep, invigorates the nerves, creates strength and quiets the nerves.

It is the beef and cod liver peptones contained in Vinol aided by iron and glycerophosphorus which makes it such a famous blood maker, nerve builder and strength creator.

Wolter & Streich, Frank C. Miller, Wolf & Blake and druggists everywhere.

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Made from the purest ingredients under the most sanitary conditions that modern science can devise. Each step in the process of making Peerless Ice Cream plays an important role in making it the best on the market today.

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The Ostend Pump



made in patent sole, black satin and dull St. Louis heels, turned soles. These pumps just arrived and are the correct last words in styles for afternoon and evening functions.

Don't spoil the good effect of your pretty gown with a pair of shoddy pumps.

Frank J. Baker

The Sleepless Shoeman

45 Galla

Poofitter for Twenty Years

Reader At Manly Tonight

Tonight another number on the Redpath Lyceum lecture course will be composed of Jean S. Macpherson, whose mission in life seems to be "The Ministry of Fun."

She is an impersonator and reader of note and will give a splendid program here tonight. Her comedy and laugh imitations are hard to equal. Her recitation promises to be ripe with humor and fun and will be sure to delight and satisfy. She has spent seven seasons in Chautauqua work and is at home on the platform.

To have a clear, pink skin, bright eyes, no wrinkles, a feeling of buoyancy like childhood days, you must keep your body free from poisons. Water, Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets (a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil) act on the liver and bowels like a cathartie. Take one nightly and soon results. They start the life and overcome constipation. That's why millions of tablets are sold annually, 100 and 200.

To Fight Increase
The Chamber of Commerce of Trenton has taken steps to prevent the increasing of that city from increasing its rate. The council of Trenton is also taking part in the fight.

Held On Larceny Charge

On charges of larceny in connection with the theft of a pig, Mary Dorsey

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When you wish "somebody would invent something new to eat" you need BEECHAM'S PILLS. Even when digestion is good, poisons are formed during its processes that unless eliminated irritate mind as well as body.

BEECHAM'S PILLS
LONDON
MADE BY SCOTT & SONS
MAKERS OF SCOTT'S EMULSION

Republicans Meet Tonight

Tonight at 7:30 o'clock the monthly meeting of the Scioto

County Republican club will be held in the club room, Masonic Temple.

Special attendance is urged and every officer and director is especially asked to be present.

Briggs Home

H. H. Briggs, Salineville, Ky.,

returned home at the end of a

long vacation.

To Arrive Tuesday

Col. "Big" Eddie, Hill Top Am-

erman who has been visiting friends and relatives at Marion for several

days and having a great time will be here today.



The Leichner & Jordan Co.

Wholesale Distributors Portsmouth, Ohio



"Commodity" is Valier's high grade popular priced flour. It has made hosts of friends.

HEARTBURN

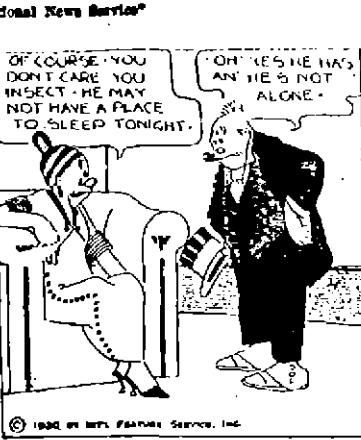
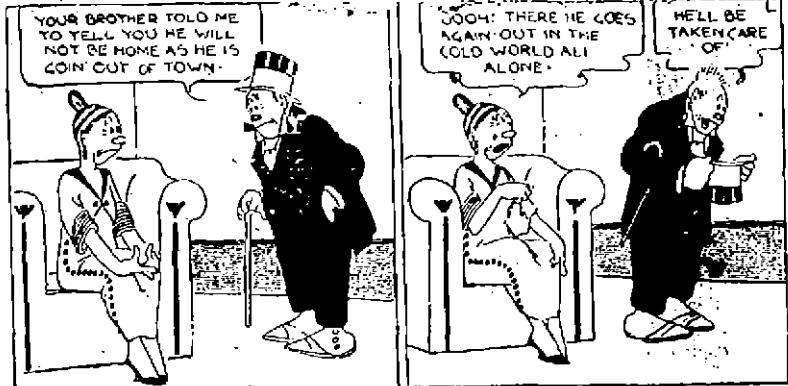
or heartburn after meals are most annoying manifestations of acid-dyspepsia.

KI-MOIDS

pleasant to take, neutralize acidity and help restore normal digestion.

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BY GEORGE McMANUS

SO LIVE THAT YOU DON'T HAVE TO PROVE AN ALIBI
If you have been a CONSISTENT and CAREFUL SAVER, you'll never have to prove an ALIBI. If not, you'll have CONSIDERABLE TROUBLE in the end showing where you were all the time.

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6 Per Cent For 29 Years. Why Take Less?
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Health by the mayor, subject to the approval of council. The board, upon organization, shall elect a Health Commissioner and a clerk, and may appoint such nurses, inspectors, physicians, and other employees as it deems necessary. Salaries of all employees are to be fixed by the board.

A subsidy of not to exceed \$2,000 annually from the state to aid in defraying the expenses of administration, is provided in the Griswold bill.

Mayor Gablemen will have the appointment of the five members of the new board as soon as the ordinance establishing the department is enacted by council. Board changes in the administrative end of the department are anticipated.

Let Poslam
Start Now To
Clear Your Skin

Would you be easily put off by the skin that you have? Do you desire a clear, fair skin free from aggravating eruptions? Then, here is your opportunity to get rid of the skin trouble and obtain a clear complexion of distilled skin water. As a treatment, it is qualified and reliable. It is a natural, yet potent, skin treatment. It is more valuable to us than any other skin water. It is a natural, yet potent, skin treatment. For two samples write to us. We will send you a free sample.

Poslam Skin Treatment, 210 West 67th Street, New York City.

Poslam Skin Treatment is with Poslam. It should be used if skin is tender and sensitive.

Ford And Truck Collide, Mrs. George Freund Injured

Mrs. George Freund of Gallo street suffered a serious injury to her right shoulder. Mrs. Freund's Ford, turning west on Kinney's Lane, was hit by a truck owned by Joe Lovinier and driven by his son, Ray Lovinier, was damaged in a collision at Kinney's Lane and Waller street about four o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Freund was driving north on Waller street and intended going up Sunny-side hill and was just starting across the intersection when he noticed the

truck coming west on Kinney's Lane. He tried to escape the truck by turning west on Kinney's Lane but did not get in the clear, the truck knocking the Ford onto the sidewalk.

Mrs. Freund was in the rear seat of the Ford and was thrown with much force against the back of the front seat. Mr. Freund was thrown in a leap between the front seat and dashboard. The truck was slightly damaged while the Ford is a near wreck. Dr. H. M. Kell was called to attend

Mrs. Freund last night and an x-ray will be taken today to determine if a bone was broken in the shoulder, the injury giving Mrs. Freund considerable pain.

Sciotosville And Wheelerburg SCIOTOVILLE

Mrs. G. A. Walden of Main street who has been ill sometime continues to improve.

Mrs. Carl Brock will entertain the members of the Haledon club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

The many friends of Alvin Woods of Fifth street who has been ill with typhoid fever will be pleased to know that he is able to sit up a short time each day.

Mrs. Clarence Nagel who is critically ill with typhoid pneumonia at the home of her mother Mrs. Henry Wadell of Fourth street remains about the same.

Mrs. Charles Reinhard of Bloom street will entertain Class No. 10 of the Christian church at her home Tuesday evening.

The Ladies Union of the Christian church will hold a business meeting in the church basement Thursday evening.

Harold Reinhard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reinhard, left Monday afternoon for Marietta college, concluding a two weeks vacation spent here with home folks.

Section One of the Christian church will meet in the church basement Friday afternoon at one o'clock. All members are urged to be present as there is an abundance of work to be done.

Mrs. Zora Todd and daughter Miss Hess have as guest Mr. S. Miller of Dayton.

McKinley Johnson of Kenmore, Cal., is the guest of his uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Halstead of Main street.

The meeting of the Main Street Kensington club has been postponed from Wednesday, Jan. 7, to Wednesday, January 21, at the home of Mrs. L. L. Finney of 1814 Fifth street, Portsmouth.

WHEELERSBURG

J. Alden Staker has returned to O. S. U., Columbus, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Staker, of Franklin Furnace. Miss Carole Marc has returned home from a delightful visit with relatives in Waverly.

Mrs. W. C. Burns, of Hoyt Road, had as guests for the day, Mrs. Wm. Patten of Franklin Furnace, and Mrs. Henry Groh.

All members of the Winterser Class of the M. E. church, are urged to be present at the social meeting to be held tonight at the home of Mrs. Howard Preston.

William Patten was a business visitor to Portsmouth today.

FAMILY
WILLIAM RUSSELL
In the feature photoplay
"THIS HERO STEEP"

New Plant For Ironton
IRONTON, O., Jan. 6.—It was reported yesterday that a new brick and tile plant to be owned and managed by Columbus capitalists, was to be built on the Sheridan lands.

It is said that the work will start about the first of April and when completed will employ in the neighborhood of one hundred men. The site of the plant, it is reported, will be above Lick Creek.

A. BRUNNER SONS
909-911 Gallia St.

Twenty per cent discount on all cloth and plush coats, same reserved, all go in this sale.

Twenty per cent discount on all Fall and Winter Suits.

Fifteen per cent discount on Silk and Wool Dresses and Skirts.

Fifteen per cent discount on all Furs in Muffis, Scarfs, Plush Seats and Fancy Neck Pieces.

PORTSMOUTH IS TO HAVE A SEPARATE HEALTH DISTRICT

Legislation creating a separate municipal health district for Portsmouth in accordance with the provisions of the Griswold bill amending the Hughes health act will be introduced at the in-

itial meeting of city council tomorrow, it was announced last night by City So-

cial Service Commissioner S. Anselmo S.

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BESSIE LOVE (Courtesy of Vitagraph) "A FIGHTING COLLEEN"

Bessie Love in Vitagraph's New Play, "A Fighting Colleen," Will Be The Attraction at the Exhibit Tonight—It Is One of The Best Comedy-Dramas of The Year

Bessie Love, admired by thousands, gets away from the safety drawing for her youthful charm and winsome moon. It gets down to brass tacks and ways, will be seen at the Exhibit, shows you a sample of life as it really Theatre tonight, in her newest. It tells in glory that anyone can Vitagraph picture "A Fighting Colleen," Miss Love is seen in the gladness and has to double up in role of Puggy Malone, a little triching. In one word, "A Fighting Colleen" and she makes you want to take it is a perfect picture. Just the kind we have in your two areas and how her can bring the whole family to see and right. She is a snapper and has the enjoy. The public will especially like it. It is up to all the tricks of the this play. Another thrilling chapter ends. This play is something different of "The Great Gulliver Mystery" will be the added feature on Vitagraph from the average motion picture. It be the added feature on Vitagraph

STOMACH ON A STRIKE

"Pape's Diaperin" puts
Sour, Gassy, Acid Stomachs
in order at once!

She didn't know that she was a Pomery. She only thought herself a lonely type. So she was perfectly happy selling tickets for Crump's Colossal Carnival Shows. However, the show did not make a great deal of money for its owner and when he saw the opportunity to sell it he took advantage of it. Now the new owner was Jack Hammon, a wealthy young man and trying fascinated him so that he soon for it him in love. Then her fortune-telling mother confessed that the girl was stolen in infancy. Luckily the show arrived one day in Gessel's old home, Iowa and it wasn't long before she was reunited with her parents.

The picture is "The Merry Go Round," and dainty Peggy Hyland is the star. Don't fail to see this charming comedy-drama when it comes to the Strand tonight. Matt and John will interest you also.

Wm. S. Hart as the man Tonight. Some growing individual, says reported that all William S. Hart's photoplays are the same. If you see one you see all. There is just as much truth in this statement as if a person were to say that having seen the sun one morning he did not want

to see it another day.

It is a well known fact that the motion picture patron who goes to view a Hart picture made by Thomas H. Ince for Artcraft is certain to see a western

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At The Sun

Walter's Virginia Bells, all-new

musical comedy attraction

at the Sun theatre, are incomparably

the liveliest, liveliest, younest and in

every wise the most charming and be-

autiful of extra girls who

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They are to be seen on a combined

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The Virginia Bells will give a complete

range of comic operas, from the

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For each offering they also will be a complete

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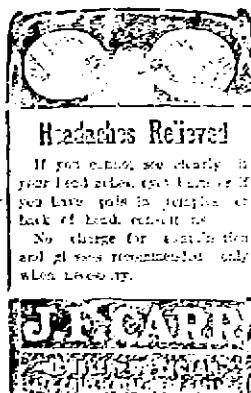
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Ohio, Jan. 6th, 7:30 p. m. Work
in M. M. Degree. Ref. 3-1-1-5-5.
Signed P. A. Higgins,

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Special meeting of Calvary Compan-
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The Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, Jan. 6—Stocks were
heavy at the opening of today's ses-
sion on a moderate resumption of
yesterday's professional selling, more-

over. Pressure continued to concentrate in favorable issues, notably
stocks, oil and equipments, where
early reactions ranged from 1 to 2
points. American Woolen suffered
another substantial loss of its recent
spectacular advance. Its 5s and subse-
quent were dull and irregular with in-
terior specificities and lack.

The business of the first half hour
was to irregularity, many de-
lites being fully recovered, while
some early gains were reduced by
losses. American Woolen featured

the trading by a single rally of S-
points and with United States Rubber,
which also rebounded easily, pre-
dicted consider the day's recording.

Popular issues registered extreme
reactions of 2 to almost 10 points in
today's stock market. Selling was pre-
cipitated by the attitude of the federal
14th, earliest speculative loans. Sales approximated 1,200,000

shares. The closing was heavy.

American Steel 55.
American Car 52.
American Car & Foundry 140.

American Locomotive 161.

American Smelting & Ref. 70.

American T. & T. 172.

American Copper 37-1-2.

Aetna 151.

Baldwin Locomotive 115-2.

Baltimore & Ohio 22.

Bethlehem Steel 12-15.

Chicago & Ohio 56-1.

General Motors 35-1.

Great Northern 60-61-62-75.

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Northern Pacific 10-11.

Ohio Gas 49.

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South Pacific 62-78.

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Union Products 12.

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Westinghouse Electric 28-31.

Willys Overland 26-27.

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Yankee 10-11.

Yerkes 10-11.

Zimmerman 10-11.

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1-15 10th Street.

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gas company, my daughter. I've noticed the shutting off of the gas is followed by a corresponding increase of pressure."

"Well, that lessens the waist, doesn't it, mother, dear?" replied the artless girl. And her fond mother could not find an answer.

Some job—

"Heels together! Stand up straight, and button that blouse! Don't you know enough to salute an officer yet?"

"Nope. Just got here yesterday and didn't much regulate yet."

"Well," replied the G. O., taken derisively by his chief, "I am the colonel of the regiment and the commanding officer of the men of the joint legislative committee investigating sedition activities, said Senator Bush."

"Good job, old man. Hang on to it," replied the rookie.

Ready With His Answer

Dan Molloy, in eager respects a good soldier, had not the virtues of soldiers. Appearing on parade one morning with his boots unbuttoned, the sergeant at arms stopped him.

"Private Molloy, fall out!" he roared. "What's the name by which you boots is a mess, take that!"

"Archie, now, sergeant, be easy!" replied the imperious Dan. "Sarge, you never saw a good soldier showin' a clean pair o' heels!"

Scorches Himself

The venerable judge of the country

for the motorists for speeding like he did, remarked the man in the big green touring car.

"By hook, noo," drawled the rural court. "You see, the judge took in so much in fees, swing ding it, he gone, many lawyers anticipate a formal position two years ago, until the dis-

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ORGANIZED FOR OVERTHROW OF AMERICAN GOVERNMENT

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—More than 20,000 alien enemies in the community

party of New York state alone are

privately organized for overthrow of the government by force and violence under the direction of Bolshevik leaders

in Russia, Senator Clayton B. Bush, chairman of the joint legislative committee investigating sedition activities, said Senator Bush.

"The arrests already made in the state on the charge of criminal anarchy and other revolutionary organizations and for deportation hardly scratch the surface of the situation. There are

the same ends as well as many other revolutionary organizations throughout

all parts of the state."

CHARGED WITH MURDER

MOUNT CLEMENS, MICH., Jan. 5.—Attorney General Alex Gosselink announced shortly after noon today that he had ordered a warrant charging

first degree murder issued against Lloyd Prentiss, held as a witness in connection with the slaying of J. Stanley Brown.

TOO EARLY TO ANNOUNCE PLANS

Friends to the effect that Mark A. the present congressman, Chillicothe, Crawford, Pennsylvania attorney, will

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OBITUARY

Floyd Shanks

Floyd, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Shanks, died Sunday at the home of his parents in Peebles. His

death was caused by pneumonia. His

father, his faithful wife, Mrs. Minnie Shanks, his two sons, Melville and Roy, and

two daughters, Anna and Wilma, all at home. Mr. Shanks was one of the

best known residents on the West Side.

Funeral arrangements will be

quietured pending arrival of relatives.

David Davis

David Davis, aged 71 years, died

afternoon at his home in Black Fork

Friendship, the final eanomus

after a two years' illness. Mrs.

Davis went to Athens about

years ago shortly after taking ill. She

was better known on the West Side.

The deceased was born in Racine, Ohio, and came to Friendship with his

parents when a girl.

Her husband, Nathan Davis, died a

number of years ago.

After his death Mrs. Davis

continued to make Friendship her home.

She was well known in that vicinity

and had a wide circle of friends who

will sadly miss her.

One daughter, Mrs. William W.

Davis, died in Spokane, Wash., and

three grandchildren, Matthew and Odie

Wednesday afternoon. Wards was re-

ceived early this morning that one of the

sons would arrive tomorrow after

train from the West on the C. & O.

train, the funeral hour being made an

hour later so the relative could reach

here in time for the last rites.

Rev. George L. Davis, will be in

charge of the services. Burial in

Greenlawn.

Mullen's Funeral

Funeral services of the late Richard

Mullen, who passed away Sunday

afternoon at the county infirmary after

a five weeks illness with dropsy

were conducted from the county infir-

mary this afternoon. Dr. E. D. Durrah, in charge, Burial was in the Ju-

lynn cemetery.

From Weller's Funeral

The funeral of Anna Weller, former

police captain, who died Saturday

evening, was held yesterday afternoon at the United Brethren church.

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Yankees Buy Ruth

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Ruth has a three-year contract with the Boston club made last season calling for a salary of \$10,000 a year. It is reported, however, to have declared recently that unless this sum was

increased to \$20,000 he would not return to Boston.

In refusing to name the price paid for Ruth, Ruppert admitted that he understood an offer of \$100,000 for the player was refused last summer by Harry Frazee of the Boston club.

SEASON TICKETS PLACED ON SALE

Season basketball tickets at the High School were placed on sale yesterday, the price being \$1.50.

P. H. R. will make his initial appearance before local basketball devotees on January 23rd meeting Mayors; and on the following night,

present one ticket free for the sale of every ten season tickets sold, by any student.

The schedule arranged contained about 30 games, with some of the strongest door squads in this section.

To give impetus to the sale of tickets, the Athletic Council has offered to

RUTH MAY COST YANKS \$100,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The most popular indoor sport in New York—today was naming how much the New York Americans paid for George H. (Babe) Ruth, the house run marks.

The most appropriate to anything of an official nature was the smiling admission of Col. Jacob Ruppert, that he understood an offer of \$100,000 for Ruth was

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DERELICTS—1920

New - York - Day - By - Day
BY
O. O. McINTYRE

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Theatrical stars are literally made over night in New York, but they twinkle only for a brief period and disappear. It is possible to number on the fore fingers of one hand stars of the last decade who have had real careers. I can think of two at the moment—Madame Adams and Ethel Barrymore.

The rest have talent and genius but little capacity for hard work. A career means to them a continuous run on Broadway. They merely dash for a short while in the theatrical heaven not because of any lack of ability but because they will not leave the city.

Just recently an actress who it is believed had the most promising career of the present crop of stars quit the legitimate stage to go into the movies. The reason? It kept her in Manhattan and gave her a salary of \$3,000 a week instead of \$1,000. But only for a year. She had years of great moments and rich rewards on the legitimate stage.

The hinterland to the average star means horse-bile colas, cracked chin-cups, bewhiskered landlords and town halls. They do not realize these sores of the smaller cities have more appreciative audiences, better theatres and more genuine hotel comfort than they get in their stuffy chicken-coop apartments here.

There is a black and-white artist named Fish, whose offerings deal in the odd blarney in current periodicals. The artist has been somewhat of a mystery. Some said he lived in Greenwich Village and others said he was a product of the middle west.

Wherever he lived it was certain that he knew how to satirize society and could sketch a knickerbocker better so bought that it made you turn to see it. Fish was a wizard at drawing bridge playing blots. Men curate, young blots of the town peering out peers, wasters, vampires, horsemen, poets and pests.

WANT GERMANS DEPORTED

SIDNEY, AUSTRALIA.—Several hundred of Australian war veterans have appealed to Premier William Hughes, to deport the Germans from New Guinea and permit the Australian soldiers to take over the German plantations there. The Premier agreed them his aid but said he first wished to visit the formerly German New Guinea and other territory over which Australia holds a mandate.

WHO'S WHO
In The Days News

MISS JESSIE STEPHENS

Lady Astor having set the fashion in England, it is now the highest ambition of Jessie Stephens to occupy a seat in the house of commons. An energetic and well informed woman, Miss Stephens, was formerly a domestic servant. It is said she passed whatever time she could find after her duties in the household were performed in reading books on government uplift and all that sort of thing.

Miss Stephens was elected very recently to the borough council of Hernehead, a suburb of London. She says untrained work is the first step toward parliament. To the acute argument that a woman's place is at home, Miss Stephens replies:

"Quite so. But with my experience I can divide my time between my home and helping other women to get better homes."

DOC
KOKO'S KOLUM

The Poor Book

They met at a dance. He was tall and stately, she—oh, so sweet.

They jolted, they one-hopped, they two whirled them—well, they did just what everybody's doing now.

After the seventh dance with his chum, the young fellow stopped suddenly and glared suspiciously round.

"It's funny, Mabel," he said. "See the glass-breaking clump over there. He's been following me about all the time. Who is he and what's he after?"

"Who—that miserable, half-starved Mabel, casually. 'Don't worry about him; he's only the fellow who paid for me to come in.'

Standing Room Only

In the course of one of his lecture trips, Mark Twain arrived at a small town. Before dinner he went to a barbershop to be shaved.

"You are a stranger?" asked the barber.

"This is the first time I have been here."

"You choose a good time to come," the barber continued. "Mark Twain is going to read and lecture, tonight. You'll go, suppose?"

"Oh, I guess so."

"Have you bought your ticket?"

"Not yet."

"But everything is sold out. You'll have to stand."

"How very annoying!" Mark Twain said with a sigh. "I never saw such luck! I always have to stand when that fellow lectures."

Wouldn't Work

"No doubt about it," exclaimed the physician, "by means of this wonderful discovery old men can be made young."

"Why don't you try it on yourself?"

"It's no good for a doctor. A doctor spends half his life trying to look old enough to be regarded as highly eligible and experienced."

Good Idea, Mabel

"Mabel," said her mother, "it seems to me that you had the gas turned rather low while young Higgins was here last evening."

"It was purely for economy's sake, ma."

"There is no use trying to beat the

gas company, my daughter. I've noticed the shutting off of the gas is followed by a corresponding increase of pressure."

"Who—that miserable, half-starved Mabel, casually. 'Don't worry about him; he's only the fellow who paid for me to come in.'

"Well, that lessens the waist, doesn't it, mother, dear?" replied the artless girl. And her fond mother could not find an answer.

Some Job

"Heels together! Stand up straight and button that blouse! Don't you know enough to salute an officer yet?"

"None. Just got here yesterday and ain't much acquainted yet."

"Well," replied the C. O., taken aback, "I am the colonel of the regiment and the commanding officer of this post."

"Good job, old man. Hang on to it," replied the rookie.

Ready With His Answer

Dan Molloy, in many respects a good soldier, had not the virtues of fitness. Appearing on parade one morning with his boots uncleaned, the sergeant at once dropped on him.

"Private Molloy, fall out!" he roared. "Platir dye mane by regulare wid yur accouts in a mess like that?"

"Arah, now sirginal, be aisy!" replied the imperturbable Dan. "Sure, ye never saw a good soldier showin' a cleane pair o' o'le's!"

Storches Himself

"The venerable judge of the county motorists for speeding like he did, remarked the man in the big green touring car.

"By heck, no," drawled the rural court. "You see, the Judge took in so much in dues, swing along it, he's fine and bought a racing automobile for himself."

Cause For Gratitude

"You seem deeply attached to your

little physique."

"Her doll saved my doll's life," explained the doctor's daughter.

"How was that?"

"She consented to a transfusion of blood."

Not His Fault

Mrs. Hayes said, "Say, John, it is our silver weddin' tomorrow; shall we kill the pig?"

Farmer Hayes—"What's the good of murtherin' that poor pig for what happened twenty-five years ago?"

No Joke

Crawford—"Did you wife find fault with the way you took care of the place while she was away in the country?"

Crabshaw—"I should say 'so.' She said the apartment looked as if it had been subletted after the summer."

Wrecked

"Do you know Blaize?"

"Know him? Why only the other night I found I was a distant relative of his."

"How close?"

"Oh, 150 miles or so. He called me from Boston, y'know."

LIQUOR, NOT
COVETED

SIOUX FALLS, S. D.—Liquor and not money or jewelry has been the aim of Sioux Falls thieves for the past three weeks. During this period three dollars have suffered losses amounting approximately \$10,000.

At one house, the thieves drove a truck down the alleys, broke into the cellar and carried away many bottles of expensive whiskey and wine, taking the family clothes basket to carry the wet goods to the truck. The thieves worked so quietly that the owner did not discover the loss until the next day.

Three nights later another robbery was committed of a heavy stock of liquor. At this place, however, the night visitors generously left half full a bottle of whisky.

Several days later, a prominent man of the city was called out of town on business. Certain unidentified men learned by telephone of his absence and that night the cellar was robbed of a valuable supply of liquor.

Police officials have not been officially informed of the robberies, but they have heard the stories.

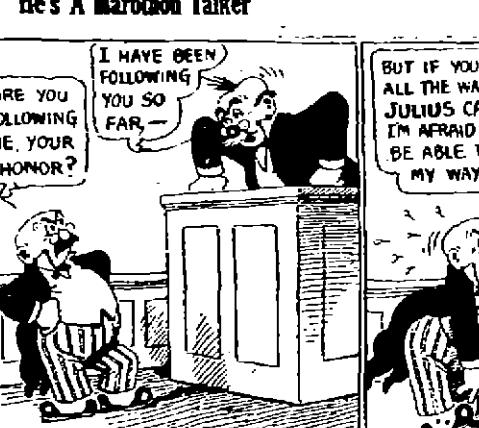
Back From New York

Clem Switalski, division manager of the Arbuckle Bros. selling force, returned Sunday from New York where he attended the annual conference of the company salesmen.

THAT'S DIFFERENT



He's A Marathon Talker



Council Divided At Caucus; Various Committees Named

The first caucus of the new city council held last night, for the purpose of organization, was marked by a division of the Republican majority, one faction with the aid of the lone Democratic member, Edward Westphal, controlling the committee assignments.

Although the caucus was secret, it was learned authoritatively that the first break came in the selection of the third member of the Finance Committee, the most important committee of council. George M. Osborn was chosen chairman without opposition as predicted, while the selection of the second member, Oscar Schirrmann, was made without contest. The members, Howard Runyan, Republicans, and Edward Westphal, Democrats, both holdover members, were named for the third place on the committee.

The first ballot resulted in a tie. Westphal refused to vote. The three supporting Westphal were Osborn, Weghorst, and Chabot, while Schirrmann, Bennett and Runyan voted for the latter. On the second ballot, Westphal voted for himself, thus insuring his election.

Although proceedings of the caucus were secret, it is said the same division marked the vote on other committees during the meeting. Westphal fared well for a lone minority member, being selected for the chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Telegraph, and member on the Committee on Streets in addition to his assignment on the Finance Committee.

Albert Weghorst, of the First Ward, was elected unanimously as president pro tem and City Auditor. Earl Chandler, by virtue of his office, became the new clerk.

Action of the caucus last night will be formally ratified at the first regular meeting of council tomorrow night. Prior to adjournment last night the new councilmen were sworn into office by City Solicitor H. A. Ames and Elston.

The following committee assignments were agreed upon:

Finance—Osborn, Schirrmann and Westphal.

Laws and Claims—Schirrmann, Osborn and Runyan.

Police, Fire and Markets—Runyan, Bennett and Chabot.

Streets—Bennett, Runyan and Westphal.

Light and Water—Chabot, Schirrmann and Weghorst.

Railroads and Telegraph—Westphal, Weghorst and Chabot.

Ordnance and Public Library—Weghorst, Osborn and Bennett.

WANTED—Experienced Ford driver. Must know the city. Independent Tax Co. 6-Now It Night 11.

McConnell Is Partner

Frank McConnell, who has held down a chair at Gooden's barber shop on Chillicothe street for seven years, has acquired an interest in the business, which hereafter will be known by the firm name of Gooden and McConnell.

McConnell has purchased the interest of William Haley, former member of the firm who is now located at Lynchburg, Va.

To Fight Gas Rate

IRONTON, Jan. 5.—The committee from the city council charged with the handling of the gas rate in Ironton held a meeting Saturday with the officials of the Chamber of Commerce and the present status of the situation was carefully gone into.

Another meeting will follow tonight on the conference of Saturday and it is probable that at this time a full statement will be issued by the joint committee which will oppose the new rate.

PEED, BACK FROM WORLD WAR, GIVES CREDIT TO MEN IN FRONT TRENCHES

Corporal Louis Peed of the Marine Corps was given much publicity just before that followed Peed got a touch knock-down with bone (not after world war). The 12th left on Friday—(he doesn't know what his time, four years in foreign service. He left home for overseas had 13 separate). Peed was with the Marines, who visited his brother and sister-in-law, articles issued to them before leaving, quipped the train carrying President Mr. and Mrs. Otto Peed of Fifth (not 13) took care on board with them Wilson and Secretary Baker at Et Street here and will visit his father (not 13) days to cross the ocean and Nazare.

John Peed on Custer, he in a few, the balloon was broken up just 13. The returning troops assisted from days. He arrived here Sunday.

Peed gives all credit to the world. Workmen of the 13th died shortly after going to Denmark, but there was a war to the men in the front line for the organization left this country, general rejoicing on board when after

frontline. He says that he has had Peed was with a "Meeting Battalion" four days out it was announced that

enough experience and enough travel time. In France he was behind the reached the United States December

and when near the front line was 13 but the marines were on board

the natives who were in rebellion deeply through the other countries. Going over the transport Peed was

reunited by the Finland and on the way back the boat was on fire and not burn with these citizens. He had with the "Isles" at Brest, the

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